



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re The Application of:
Earl Cohen

Serial No.: 09/053,237

Filed: April 1, 1998

For: ROUTE/SERVICE PROCESSOR SCAL-
ABILITY VIA FLOW-BASED DISTRI-
BUTION OF TRAFFIC

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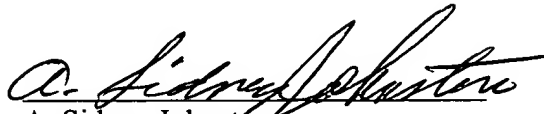
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Please extend the time for response to the Office action dated December 4, 2001,
by one month to April 4, 2002.

A check for \$ 110.00, comprising the fee of \$ 110.00 specified by
37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1) for other than a small entity, is enclosed herewith.

Please charge any additional fee occasioned by this Petition to our Deposit Account No. 03-1237.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "A. Sidney Johnston", is written over a horizontal line.

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